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1. The Hungarian Border Guard training battalion at Szerencs [redacted] 25X1  
is subordinate to the district headquarters at Miskolc. 25X1
2. The commander of the battalion is Captain Albert Bükkössy. He is about 35 years  
old, an officer of the former Ludovika Academy, [redacted]  
[redacted] The battalion political officer is Lieutenant János Várjas, about  
30 years old.
3. The battalion consists of a staff and three companies of about 150 men each.  
The commander of the 1 Company is Lieutenant József Kollár, about 30 years old.  
The commander of 3 company is Lieutenant István Pap, about 30 years old.
4. Each company is armed with carbines and 10 model M-48 machine pistols, 16 light  
model M-48 machine guns, and two Maxim machine guns. Battalion motor vehicle  
equipment consists of three jeeps and an army truck.
5. The training consists of basic infantry training for the first six weeks,  
followed by practical training in the border guard service, including searching,  
enforcement of closed areas, etc.

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